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#### January 15, 2003

#### **VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS**

Mr. Tom Dorman Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard Frankfort, KY 40602-0615

Re: AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC's Notice of Intent to Adopt Interconnection Agreement and Petition Requesting Commission Order,

Authorization, or Permission For Approval of Adoption of Interconnection

Agreement

Dear Mr. Dorman:

Enclosed for filing with the Public Service Commission is the original and thirteen (13) copies of AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC.'s Notice of Intent to Adopt Interconnection Agreement and Petition Requesting Commission Order, Authorization, or Permission For Approval of Adoption of Interconnection Agreement

Please stamp the two (2) extra copies of the Petition and return in the envelope provided.

I am licensed to practice in the Commonwealth of Kentucky and in good standing with the Kentucky Bar Association.

If you have any questions, please call Loretta Cecil, Esq. at (404) 888-7437.

Best regards,

WOMBLE CARLYLE SANDRIDGE & RICE A Professional Limited Liability Company

Thomas B. McGurk, Esq.

Enclosures

# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I. Tl. M. M. OC. A. J. OC.	`	
In The Matter Of: Adoption Of	)	
Interconnection Agreement	)	
Between ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc.	)	
And AT&T Of The South Central	)	Case No.
States, LLC By AT&T Broadband	)	
Phone of Kentucky LLC	)	

# NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT AND PETITION REQUESTING COMMISSION ORDER, AUTHORIZATION, OR PERMISSION FOR APPROVAL OF ADOPTION OF INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT

# (EXPEDITED REVIEW REQUESTED)

AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC. ("AT&T Broadband") hereby files this Notice of Intent to Adopt Interconnection Agreement and Petition Requesting Commission Order, Authorization or Permission for Adoption of Interconnection Agreement (Expedited Review Requested) ("Petition") pursuant to KRS Chapter 278, Title 807, Chapter 5, Section 8, Applications, Kentucky Administrative Regulations, and Section 252(i) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 ("Act"), 47 U.S.C. §252(i). In support of said Petition, AT&T Broadband shows as follows:

1.

The name of Petitioner is AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC. having an address at 188 Inverness Drive West, Suite 400, Englewood, Colorado, 80112.

AT&T Broadband is authorized to provide local and intraLATA toll telecommunications services in Kentucky pursuant to a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued by the Commission.

3.

ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc. ("ALLTEL") is authorized to provide local and intraLATA toll telecommunications services in Kentucky pursuant to a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued by the Commission. ALLTEL also is "local exchange carrier" as defined in the Telecommunications Act of 1996 ("Act").

4.

On January 14, 2003, AT&T Broadband gave notice ("Notice") to ALLTEL of its intent to adopt that certain "Interconnection Agreement between ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc. and AT&T of the South Central States, LLC" ("Interconnection Agreement"). In such Notice, AT&T Broadband made all necessary and appropriate representations to ALLTEL regarding AT&T Broadband's intent to be bound by the terms of Interconnection Agreement. A copy of this Notice (including a copy of Interconnection Agreement) is attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated herein by this reference.

5.

On January 14, 2003, AT&T Broadband also provided ALLTEL with an adoption agreement ("Adoption Agreement") to be executed by AT&T Broadband signifying AT&T Broadband's adoption of Interconnection

Agreement. A copy of this Adoption Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit 2 and incorporated herein by this reference.

6.

AT&T Broadband is entitled to, and ALLTEL is obligated to allow, adoption of Interconnection Agreement pursuant to Section 252 (i) of the Act, 47 U.S.C. §252(i).

7.

Effective November 8, 2002, AT&T Corp. transferred its ownership interest in AT&T Broadband to Comcast Corporation.

8.

As AT&T Broadband formerly was a wholly owned company of AT&T Corp. (and thus also an affiliated company of AT&T Communications of the South Central States, LLC), it previously relied upon Interconnection Agreement for interconnection with ALLTEL in Shephardsville, Kentucky.

9.

Because AT&T Broadband is no longer an affiliated company of AT&T Communications of the South Central States, LLC, it needs to obtain its own interconnection agreement with ALLTEL for ALLTEL's Shepardsville, Kentucky exchanges on an immediate basis.

**WHEREFORE,** AT&T Broadband respectfully requests that:

(a) the Commission conduct an expedited review of this Petition;

- (b) issue an order requiring approving AT&T Broadband's adoption of Interconnection Agreement pursuant to the terms set forth in the Adoption Agreement; and
- (c) for such other and further relied that the Commission deems reasonable and just.

Respectfully submitted, this the \_\_\_\_day of January, 2003.

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_Attorney for AT&T Broadband Phone
Of Kentucky, LLC.
Thomas B. McGurk, Esq.
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Suite 3200
1201 W. Peachtree Street
Atlanta, GA 30309
(404) 888-7462
(404) 879-2994 (Facsimile)

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the public version of the foregoing Notice of Intent to Adopt Interconnection Agreement and Petition Requesting Commission Order, Authorization or Permission for Adoption of Interconnection Agreement (Expedited Review Requested) was served upon the following party by placing a copy of the same in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid.

This the	day of Janua	ary, 2003.		
		Thomas B	. McGurk. Esa.	

CT Corporation System
Attn: Kentucky ALLTEL, Inc.
ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc.
Kentucky Home Life Building
Louisville, KY 40202

Kentucky ALLTEL, Inc. 239 South 5<sup>th</sup> Street Suite 1511 Louisville, KY 40202

ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc. 239 South 5<sup>th</sup> Street Suite 1511 Louisville, Kentucky 40202

Stephen B. Rowell, Esq. Kentucky ALLTEL, Inc. One Allied Drive, Building IV P. O. Box 2177 Little Rock, Arkansas 72202

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## January 14, 2003

### VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT

Mr. Alfred Busbee Staff Manager, Wholesale Services ALLTEL Communications, Inc. 1 Allied Drive Little Rock, AR 72202

> Re: AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC.'s Notice of Intent to Adopt the Interconnection Agreement between ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc. and AT&T Communications of the South Central States, LLC

Dear Mr. Busbee:

Our firm represents AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC. ("AT&T Broadband").

This letter is to inform you that pursuant to Section 252(i) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. §252(i), AT&T Broadband will adopt the terms and conditions of the Interconnection Agreement between ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc. ("ALLTEL") and AT&T of the South Central States, LLC ("AT&T"), as such agreement exists on the date hereof ("Agreement") in the state of Kentucky.

AT&T Broadband adopts and agrees to be bound to the terms of the Agreement, as it is in effect on the date hereof, and in applying the terms of the Agreement, agrees that AT&T Broadband shall be substituted in the place of AT&T in the Agreement.

Notice to AT&T Broadband and ALLTEL as may be required under the Agreement shall be provided as follows:

To: AT&T Broadband:

Vice President Telephony

AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC.

188 Inverness Drive West

Suite 400

Englewood, CO 80112

With a copy to: General Counsel

AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC.

188 Inverness Drive West

Suite 400

Englewood, CO 80112

To: ALLTEL

Staff Manager – Interconnection Services

One Allied Drive, Building N

Little Rock, AR 72202

With a copy to: VP-Law Interconnection

One Allied Drive, Building N

Little Rock, AR 72202

AT&T Broadband represents and warrants that it is a certified provider of local telecommunications service in the State of Kentucky, and that its adoption of the Agreement will cover services in the State of Kentucky only.

The term and termination provisions of the Agreement shall govern AT&T Broadband's adoption of the Agreement.

AT&T Broadband understands that ALLTEL may submit its own letter to the Kentucky Commission confirming AT&T Broadband's adoption of the Agreement. To the extent that such letter by ALLTEL provides representations as to the meaning of specific language in the Agreement or as to the status of applicable law and/or its applicability to the Agreement, AT&T Broadband shall not be bound by any of ALLTEL's statements of positions.

In the event ALLTEL desires to enter into a "stand-alone" adoption agreement relative to AT&T Broadband's adoption of the Agreement, attached hereto is AT&T Broadband's proposed draft.

Best regards,

WOMBLE CARLYLE SANDRIDGE & RICE A Professional Limited Liability Company

Loretta A. Cecil

Copy to: Stephen B. Rowell, Esq. - ALLTEL

#### **ADOPTION AGREEMENT**

This Adoption Agreement ("Adoption Agreement") is effective January 14, 2003 ("Effective Date") between AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC. ("AT&T Broadband") and ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc. ("ALLTEL").

WHEREAS, the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the "Act") was signed into law on February 8, 1996; and

WHEREAS, AT&T Broadband is adopting the Interconnection Agreement between ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc. and AT&T Communications of the South Central States, LLC ("Agreement") pursuant to Section 252 (i) of the Act, 47 U.S.C. §252(i); and

WHEREAS, AT&T Broadband has provided notice to ALLTEL of its intent to adopt the Agreement in its entirety for the state of Kentucky.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and mutual covenants of this Adoption Agreement, AT&T Broadband and ALLTEL hereby agree as follows:

- 1. AT&T Broadband and ALLTEL shall adopt in its entirety the Agreement and any and all amendments to said Agreement executed and approved by the Kentucky Public Service Commission. The Agreement and all amendments are attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated herein by this reference.
- 2. The term of this Adoption Agreement shall be from the Effective Date as set forth above and shall expire as set forth in the Agreement.
- 3. AT&T Broadband and ALLTEL shall accept and incorporate any amendments to the Agreement executed as a result of any effective judicial, regulatory, or legislative action.
- 4. Every notice, consent, approval, or other communications required or contemplated by this Adoption Agreement shall be in writing and shall be delivered in person or given by postage prepaid mail, addressed to:

То:	AT&T Broadband: Vice President Telephony AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC. 188 Inverness Drive West Suite 400 Englewood, CO 80112
With a copy to:	General Counsel AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC. 188 Inverness Drive West Suite 400 Englewood, CO 80112
То:	ALLTEL Staff Manager – Interconnection Services One Allied Drive, Building N Little Rock, AR 72202
With a copy to:	VP-Law Interconnection One Allied Drive, Building N Little Rock, AR 72202
or at such other address a designated by written notice t	as the intended recipient previously shall have to the other Party.
IN WITNESS WHERE Agreement through their auth	OF, the Parties have executed this Adoption norized representatives.
ALLTEL Kentucky, Inc.	AT&T Broadband Phone of Kentucky, LLC.
Signature	Signature
Printed Name	Printed Name

Date

Date